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NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES
PURSUANT TO REGULATION D,
SECTION 4(6), AND/OR
UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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Name of Offering ([] check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate chan Rockford Corporation Private Placement of 4.5% Convertible Senior Subordinated Secu and Warrants to Purchase Shares of Common Stock	
Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): [] Rule 504 [] Rule 505 [X] Rule 506 [] Section 4(6)) []ULOE
Type of Filing: [X] New Filing [] Amendment	
A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA	
Enter the information requested about the issuer	04034252
Name of Issuer ([] check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate changed Rockford Corporation	ge.)
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Teleph (Including Area Code) 600 South Rockford Drive, Tempe, AZ 85281 480-967-3565	one Number



Address of Principal Business Operations (Number a (Including Area Code) (if different from Executive Offices)	and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Telephone Number
Brief Description of Business Rockford Corporation designs, manufactures and mobile, professional and home theater audio mark	distributes high performance audio systems for the tets.
Type of Business Organization	
[X] corporation [] limited partnersh	nip, already formed [] other (please specify):
[] business trust [] limited partnersh	nip, to be formed
	Month Year
Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organiza	tion: [0] [7] [8] [0] [X] Actual [] Estimated
Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two CN for Canada	ro-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State: da; FN for other foreign jurisdiction) [A] [Z]
A. BASIC IDE	NTIFICATION DATA
2. Enter the information requested for the following:	
of a class of equity securities of the issuer;	te or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more te issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of rship issuers. [] Executive [X] Director [] General and/or
Apply: Owner	Officer Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Bartol, Time	othy C.
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, c/o Rockford Corporation, 600 South Rockford Driv	
Check Box(es) that [] Promoter [X] Beneficial Apply: Owner	[] Executive [] Director [] General and/or Officer Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Monument I	nvestors Limited Partnership
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, c/o T. Bartol, Rockford Corporation, 600 South Rockford Corporation)	
Check Box(es) that [] Promoter [] Beneficial Apply: Owner	[X] Executive [X] Director [] General and/or Officer Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Suttle, W. Ga	ry

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c/o Rockford Corporation, 600 South Rockford Drive, Tempe, AZ 85281	
Check Box(es) that [] Promoter [] Beneficial [] Executive [X] Director [] Apply: Owner Officer	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Bartol, Nicholas G.	
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Rockford Corporation, 600 South Rockford Drive, Tempe, AZ 85281	
Check Box(es) that [] Promoter [] Beneficial [] Executive [X] Director [] Apply: Owner Officer	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Godfrey, Ralph B.	
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Rockford Corporation, 600 South Rockford Drive, Tempe, AZ 85281	
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1. Has the issuer sold, or does the issuer intend to sell, to non-accredited investors in this offering?	Yes No
Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE.	
What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?	\$1,000.00
3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?	Yes No [X]
4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only.	
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Piper Jaffray & Co.	
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 345 California Street, Suite 2400, San Francisco, CA 94104	
Name of Associated Broker or Dealer	

States in Which Person Listed Has Solicited or Intends to Solicit Purchasers

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3. If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C-Question 1.

Type of offering	Type of Security	Dollar Amount Sold	
Rule 505		\$	
Regulation A		\$	
Rule 504		\$	
Total		\$	
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4. a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.			
Transfer Agent's Fees			
Printing and Engraving Costs			
Legal Fees	[X]	\$ 135,000	
Accounting Fees	[]	\$ 42,858	
Engineering Fees	[]		
Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)	[]	\$ 937,500	
Other Expenses (identify)	[]		
Total		\$1,115,358	
5. Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuased or proposed to be used for each of the purposes shown. If the amfor any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to eft of the estimate. The total of the payments listed must equal the adjugross proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part C - Question	ount the usted		
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	Payments to Officers, Directors, &	Payments To	
	Affiliates	Others	
Salaries and fees	[]	[]	
Purchase of real estate	[]	[]	
Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of machinery and equipment	[]	[]	
Construction or leasing of plant buildings and facilities	[]	[]	
Acquisition of other businesses (including the value of securities involved in this offering that may be used in exchange for the assets or securities of another issuer pursuant to a merger)	[]	[]	
Repayment of indebtedness	[]	[X]\$11,384,642	
Working capital	[]	[]	
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Column Totals	[]	[X]\$11,384,642
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D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE

The issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the undersigned duly authorized person. If this notice is filed under Rule 505, the following signature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furnish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, upon written request of its staff, the information furnished by the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to paragraph (b)(2) of Rule 502.

Issuer (Print or Type)

Rockford Corporation

Name of Signer (Print or Type)

Title of Signer (Print or Type)

V.P. of Finance,

Tames M. Thomson

CFO & Secretary

ATTENTION

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)

E. STATE SIGNATURE	
1. Is any party described in 17 CFR 230.262 presently subject to any of the disqualification provisions of such rule?	Yes [] No [] [X]
See Appendix, Column 5, for state response.	[, 1]

- 2. The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to any state administrator of any state in which this notice is filed, a notice on Form D (17 CFR 239,500) at such times as required by state law.
- 3. The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to the state administrators, upon written request, information furnished by the issuer to offerees.
- 4. The undersigned issuer represents that the issuer is familiar with the conditions that must be satisfied to be entitled to the Uniform limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) of the state in which this notice is filed and understands that the issuer claiming the availability of this exemption has the burden of establishing that these conditions have been satisfied.

The issuer has read this notification and knows the contents to be true and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Rockford Corporation

Name of Signer (Print or Type)

Title (Print or Type)

V.P. of Finance,

CFO + Secretary

Instruction:

Print the name and title of the signing representative under his signature for the state portion of this form. One copy of every notice on Form D must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

APPENDIX

1	2		3		5 Disqualification				
	Intend to non-ac investors (Part B-l	credited in State	Type of security and aggregate offering price offered in state (Part C-Item 1)		Type of investor and amount purchased in State (Part C-Item 2)				
State	Yes	No		Number of Accredited Investors	Amount	Number of Non-Accredited Investors	Amount	Yes	No
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